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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

The listed Japanese language document was cited in the prosecution of a counterpart Japanese patent application. A copy of the Japanese Office Action is enclosed. Applicants submit that the listed document may be considered relevant for the reason that it was cited in a counterpart application. Also, for the Examiner's convenience, Applicants have enclosed an English language abstract for that document.

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It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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